Ask the Chief of the Anna Police: A weekly column allowing readers access to useful information about law enforcement issues in the Anna area.

This column is the personal opinion of Kenny Jenks and is based on his 29+ years of policing experience. It is not necessarily the official opinion of the City of Anna or the Anna Police Department. If you wish to Email, include your name and address in the correspondence. Your information will be edited before sending it to print.

Hello Readers.

I receive between 75-100 Emails each week from persons who would like to converse about the activities of the police in Anna and surrounding areas. I can't respond to or print all of them, but I do read them!

JoAnn of Anna is attending College and was granted an audience as part of a classroom assignment. She sent the following Email: Dear Chief Jenks, I am writing to thank Detective Williams and Christy for taking the time to meet with me. They were professional at all times and, more importantly, very courteous. They answered my questions and provided information that assisted in the preparation of my class assignment. I am sending this thank you to you, as I wanted you to know how impressed I was. While I was there, I saw many of the progressive and positive qualities in our police department that are referenced in my textbook. Please convey my thanks to everyone.

JoAnn, Thank you very much for the Email, glad we could help. I will thank Christy and Detective Williams for you as I am truly blessed to have such a fine staff and it is always a pleasure for me to recognize their efforts. Good luck with your classes!

The Anna Safe Streets program is continuing to be a success as we are more visible in our problem traffic areas. Overall traffic crashes are down by 1/4<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your support!

Reminder: Outdoor Storm Sirens Tested (weather permitting)
First Wednesday of the month @ 12 noon.

\*Phone numbers: Dial 911 in an emergency. To have a police officer sent to you in a non-emergency, call 972-547-5350. During normal business hours, the APD number is 972-924-2848.

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